

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

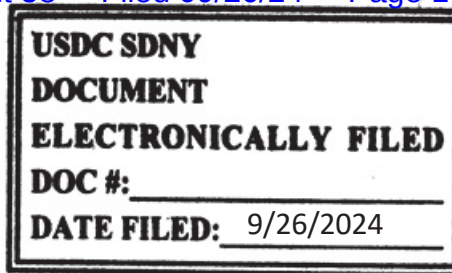
Trent Berger,

Plaintiff,

-against-

U.S. Department of Commerce,

Defendant.



1:22-cv-10257 (GHW) (SDA)

ORDER

**STEWART D. AARON, United States Magistrate Judge:**

Discovery in this action closed on September 23, 2024. (See 6/12/24 Order, ECF No. 57.)

No later than October 3, 2024, the parties shall file a joint letter setting forth proposed next steps in this action, including whether they would like to be referred for further mediation and/or whether either party intends to file a dispositive motion. If either party intends to file a dispositive motion, the joint letter also shall set forth a proposed briefing schedule.

**SO ORDERED.**

Dated: New York, New York  
September 26, 2024

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Stewart D. Aaron".

STEWART D. AARON  
United States Magistrate Judge